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CONFIRMATION NO. 8626

## FORMALITIES LETTER



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### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

01 FC:2001	385.00 OP
02 FC:2051	65.00 OP
03 FC:2201	43.00 OP
04 FC:2202	513.00 OP

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted***Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

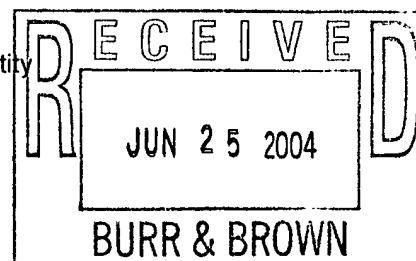
The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Additional claim fees of \$1112 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$2012 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.



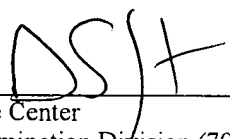
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is **\$1112**

- **\$86** for **1** independent claims over 3.
- **\$1026** for **57** total claims over 20.

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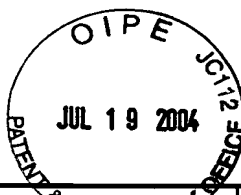
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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE



Application Number	10/821,261	I hereby certify that this paper is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 addressed to <b>M. S. Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450</b> on July 19, 2004 under "EXPRESS MAIL" mailing label number <b>EV 456308235 US</b> .   Gina M. Husak
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Art Unit	2817	
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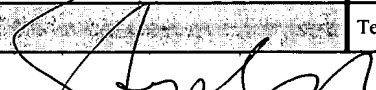
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### COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS — NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Sir:

1. ☒ This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed June 22, 2004.  
☒ A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application—Filing Date Granted is enclosed.
2. **Declaration or Oath**  
☒ No Declaration or Oath was filed. Enclosed is the original Declaration or Oath for this application.
3. **Other Papers Enclosed**
  - ☒ A Preliminary Amendment
  - ☐ A Version with Markings to Show Changes Made
  - ☒ An Assignment with Assignment Transmittal
  - ☐ A Submission of Certified Copy of Priority Document
  - ☐ Certified Copy
  - ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement and Identification of Copending Application
    - ☒ Form PTO-1449
    - ☐ Copies of IDS Citations

4. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:					
<b>Basic Filing Fee</b> (37 CFR §1.16(a))					\$ 770.00
CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE		
Total Claims	77 - 20 =	57	×	\$ 18.00	\$ 1,026.00
Indep. Claims	4 - 3 =	1	×	\$ 86.00	\$ 86.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)			+	\$ 290.00	\$ .00

<b>5. Surcharge Fees</b> (37 CFR 1.16(e))	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> late payment of filing fee and/or	\$ 130.00
<b>6. Extension of Time</b>	
a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.	
<b>OR</b>	
b. <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4), for the total number of months checked below:	
<input type="checkbox"/> One Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$ 110.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Two Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$ 420.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Three Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$ 950.00
<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b>	
	\$ 2,012.00
<b>7. Small Entity Status</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.	\$ 1,006.00
<b>SUBTOTAL =</b>	
	\$ 1,006.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee for processing an application filed with a specification in a non-English language (37 C.F.R. 1.17(i) and 1.52(d))	\$ .00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Assignment Fee (37 CFR §1.21(h))	\$ 40.00
<b>TOTAL FEES DUE =</b>	
	\$ 1,046.00
<b>8. Payment of Fees and Authorization to Charge Additional Fees or Credit Overpayment</b>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ <u>1,046.00</u> is enclosed.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Charge Deposit Account 50-1446 in the amount of \$_____. Enclosed is a duplicate copy of this sheet.	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge the following fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1446:	
a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.	
b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fees required under 37 CFR 1.17.	
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